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IN A JAR.

BY HELEN FORREST GRAVES.

'The days are shortening,' sighed Friend Decker, as he folded up his spectacles and replaced them in their tin case; 'or else my sight isn't what it used to be. Well-a-day, one can't expect to be young always. Is it thee, Leah? I did not look for thee so soon.'

Leah Decker came into the room like a breezy young whirlwind. She had none of the repose of manner which is at present so much in vogue. Born and bred a Quakeress, there was nothing of the Quakeress about her, except her quaint Scripture name.

'Yes, it's me!' said Leah, shortly.

'Did thee go to Friend Anastasias's?' gently inquired the old man, readjusting the big pine logs, so that they should burn brighter for Leah's benefit.

'Oh, yes, I went there!'

'I hope she is better of her rheumatism?'

'Yes, she is better. But—but—she will not buy the apples, father. Mean, stingy old thing!' cried Leah, wrathfully flinging her coal scuttle bonnet on the table. 'She says she can buy all she wants at fifty cents a barrel of old Jacob Joyce. So she can, perhaps—wretched, gnarly, wormy knots, not fit for the pigs. Ours are apples! She says thee asks an exorbitant price.'

Friend Decker slowly shook his head. 'Friend Anastasia is under a misapprehension,' said he. 'Eighty cents a barrel is what they are paying at the cider mill. Only one does not like to see such beautiful, rarely-colored fruit ground up into baleful spirits to set men's brains on fire.'

'Much she would stop to think about that!' said Leah, still ruffled.

'I am sorry,' said Friend Decker, mildly; 'I need the money very much; and I think she would have been better satisfied with my apples then with Friend Jacob Joyce's.'

'And after all that,' flashed out Leah, the spirit of indignation still rife within her, 'she had the impudence to ask me for a jar of that plum-sauce I made. She says Friend Mary More told her how nice it was, and—'

'And,' quietly interposed her father, 'thee said, I hope, thee would be glad to oblige her?'

'No, I didn't,' bluntly answered Leah. 'I said that I gathered the wild plums myself in the Crook Woods, and cooked them after Aunt Mahala's receipt; and that there were four jars, and that I wanted to keep them for thee; especially since thy health had failed and thy appetite was so variable.'

'I am sorry, dear,' said Friend Decker. 'Friend Anastasia is very old, and old people are apt to be fanciful about trifles. Moreover, she's our kinswoman, a degree or so removed, perhaps, but—'

'Then why don't she do something for us?' flashed out Leah, 'besides giving us good advice and tormenting us with her fault-finding! I didn't mean to mention it, father, but she told me out and out that she had adopted Moses Sawyer, and meant to make him her heir.'

'Well, daughter why should she not?' composedly questioned the old man.

'Because he is no relation to her at all,' cried Leah; 'and the property all came from our great-grandfather Lennox, thee knows.'

'Thee attaches too much importance to mere dross, Leah,' said Friend Decker. 'Thee must study the text of the lilies of the field in the Bible. We shall all be provided for, if only we can have patience to wait.'

Leah bit her full, red under lip, as she glanced around at the sparsely-furnished room, and noted her father's drooping figure and rapidly-whitening head, but she made no reply, as she took up the coarse pile of vests on which she had been making buttonholes for a neighboring clothing contractor.

'Father's a saint,' thought she, "but I am not, and I'm afraid I never shall be. I should like to cuff Anastasia Akerly's ears. If every one had their rights, half of that big Lennox farm would be ours. She gained possession of it by the merest legal quibble; and if father was like any one else, he would have gone to law about it long ago, and got back his own. And now to see it willed deliberately to some one else!'

And Leah's needle flew vindictively in and out of the cloth, like a miniature javelin piercing the heart of some unseen enemy.

And the next morning when Leah had gone to carry her bundle of vests home and get another batch of work, Friend Decker put on his hat and buttoned the great coat which was getting so worn at the elbows and shiny at the seams.

'It is a bright clear morning, albeit a trifle frosty,' said he. 'I think I may walk as far as the Lennox farm without aggravating my cough.'

And under his arm he carried a neat parcel.

Old Anastasia Ackerly was winding yarn before the fire when he came in. See greeted him not without a shadow of suspicion.

Had he come like a spy into the enemy's quarters?

'I hope thee is well, Friend Anastasia,' said he. 'I have brought thee a jar of my daughter's wild-plum sauce. Perhaps it may tempt thy appetite.'

Anastasia Ackerly colored.

'It ain't of no consequence,' said she. 'I dunno as I care so much about sweet things, only there used to grow wild-plum brush on the hills at home, and mother used to boil the plums with molasses. They was dretful sour, and there was a flavor about 'em I hain't never tasted since. And when Mary Moore told me how good Leah's was, I kind of notioned I should like a taste of 'em, but Leah said she hadn't none to spare.'

'Leah was mistaken,' said Friend Decker. 'In our house there is always something to spare for an old friend like thee!'

Anastasia's yellow, old face was oddly mottled with crimson for a moment.

'I didn't know that you looked on me as a friend!' said she, sharply.

'Thee ought to have been certain of that.'

'There was ugly things said about how the Lennox property was managed,' said Miss Akerly.

'Nothing was said by me, Friend Anastasia,' observed the Quaker. 'And as far as in me lies, I am anxious to be at peace with the world.'

'Humph!' said the old woman. 'Well, there ain't no use makin' up to me now. My will was drawn up long ago, and Moses Sawyer is my heir.'

'Thee is welcome to do as thee likes with thy own,' said friend Decker, calmly, setting down the jar of wild-plum preserves, and glancing wistfully toward the cushioned arm-chair by the fire, for his limbs were enfeebled by age, and he had walk a considerable distance.

But Miss Akerly did not ask him to sit down and rest, so he took a fresh grip of his knotty cane, and started on homeward tramp, with a cheerful, 'Good morning to thee Friend Anastasia!" to which the old lady responded with an inarticulate grunt.

But when he was out of sight she unscrewed the lid of the jar, and, with an old silver spoon, worn thin by long usage, she tasted the tart sweatness of its contents.

'Just exactly like them mother used to boil down with molasses when I was a gal,' said she. 'I could 'most fancy I was a gal ag'in in wild-plum time, a-cuttin' across the lots with my sunbonnet hitched on by one string, and the red dog a caperin' at my heels. Wal, wal! it don't seem like I was close on seventy years old!'

Miss Anastasia had some of the wild-plum sauce with her scanty dinner. It gave it a relish. She ate some more with bread and cheese for her tea.

'I never did taste nothin' that went to the right spot like them wild plums,' said she. 'It ain't because they' relishin'; it's because they make one feel like I was a gal ag'in out in Wisconsin, with the sassafras leaves turnin' yaller, and the wind blowin' in my face.'

Leah did not know, until a neighbor's child brought back the jar, neatly wrapped in an old newspaper, what a treat she had unwittingly afforded her neighbor.

'What is it, Willie?' she said to the boy.

'It's the jar that had wild-plum sass in it,' said Willie; 'and Miss Akerly she says she's much obliged—and she give me a ginger cookey for bringing it back, she did.'

'Father,' said Leah, turning reproachfully to the old man, 'this is thy doings! Thee is always thinking of some one else.'

'It has done me more good than if I had eaten it myself, Leah,' said Friend Decker, apologetically.

Leah ran to him and gave him a hug.

'Thee is a old darling, father,' said she; 'and thee makes me ashamed of my own temper, sometimes.'

And she put the jar on the top shelf of the little pantry, and never thought anything more of it until one day, when she wanted a jar to put some stewed cranberries in.

She was in a hurry, for Miss Anastasia Akerly was to be buried that afternoon.

She had died as she had lived—sitting alone before her fire—and this was the day appointed for the funeral.

Friend Decker had expressed a desire to attend the obsequies of the kinswoman who had been so little to him, and Leah was hurrying through her work, so that she might brush his well-worn suit and take a much-needed stitch or two in his coarse worsted gloves.

As she tore off the newspaper wrappings she stopped suddenly.

'Father,' cried she, 'here is a piece of thick, yellowish paper rolled up and put inside this jar that came from Friend Anastasia's! What does thee suppose it is? Father, father, it's a will!'

She ran eagerly with it to Friend Decker. He looked dubiously at the outside.

'Thee is right, Leah,' said he. 'Friend Anastasia's heart has softened toward us. This is doubtless the will she mentioned—the will in favor of Moses Sawyer. She has sent it to us to destroy. Nay, daughter—nay,' as Leah eagerly caught it up and hastened towards the fire; 'give it to me. It is not for us to make or meddle. If Friend Anastasia wished the will destroyed she should have destroyed it herself. I shall take it back to Friend Johnson, the executor.'

'Father,' cried Leah, 'thee never would give back the will?'

'Does thee think it would be a right and honorable thing to destroy it, Leah?'

'If she wanted us to do so, father?'

'But we have no right to presume anything of the sort, daughter,' reasoned Friend Decker, buttoning it up under his coat. 'Nay, nay! do not fret.' For Leah, overcome by the sudden blaze of hope, the after darkness of despair, had burst into a flood of tears. 'It will be well with us—never fear.'

Judge Johnson, the great man of the neighborhood, received the paper with some surprise.

'December 6th,' he said. 'Hum!—ah! this is the latest document she has executed. Oh, yes, I remember it very well! I drew it up myself. But why did you bring it here, Friend Decker?'

The old man briefly explained the circumstances.

'Old people are apt to be capricious,' said he. 'Doubtless the trifling matter of the plum sauce pleased her, and she sought to reward us. But I should never take base advantage of Friend Moses by burning the will.'

'But why in the name of common sense should you burn it?' cried Judge Johnson. 'Are you in the habit of having estates left to you every day, that you dispose of them so readily?'

'I don't think that I quite understand thee, Friend Johnson,' said Decker.

But Lean's face brightened like a rose.

'I see! I see!' she cried. 'Father, Friend Anastasia has done right, late though it be. She has willed the Lennox farm to thee!'

And Leah spoke truly. The dead woman had wrought a tardy reparation in her last day, and Friend Decker and his daughter had at last legal possession of what should long ago have been their own.

No amount of reasoning or remonstrance had availed with Miss Akerly, but one of those sudden touches, striking the electric chain wherewith we're darkly bound,' which sways the soul with disproportionate force, had induced her to perform an act of justice at last.

And the jar of wild plums, with its train of associations, had been the most eloquent special pleading of all.

The Fly as a Purifier.

Of what use is this troublesome customer? The fly does his part in the great and important work of purification, seeing with his ten thousand eyes things that would pass unnoticed by us, eagerly devouring his appropriate food. This he finds in the smallest atoms of animal and vegetable matter, too small to be noticed by the tidy housekeepers, which otherwise would be permitted to putrefy, contaminating the air. We may imagine that he circles about in the air with no definite object in view, but if we will carefully watch him we shall be convinced that he has an object, collecting his food, atoms of impure or decaying matter which otherwise would enter our lungs, adding to the impurity of our blood. This filth is collected on his wings and head, for as we see him light he scrapes his wings and his head with his legs and feet, passing the gathered morsels from foot to foot, the front pair passing his dinner to his mouth. The fly also teaches us the value of sunlight, not only to cheer, but to purify the air, for he has too good sense to live in a dark room. When the parlor is darkened he seeks a decent place for his release.

General Marmaduke.

The Battle of Osage During Which the Present Governor of Missouri was Taken Frisoner.

The "Battle of the Osage" was fought in the latter part of October, 1864. There were two engagements, one in the morning and one in the afternoon.

During the morning fight the present Governor of Missouri, General Marmaduke, was taken prisoner. I was a participator in the charge made by the Union forces, and an eye-witness of his capture, although his identity was not known for a half hour afterwards. The country for miles in the Osage region is unbroken prairie; the ground undulating; the hills and hollows seeming to run parallel. It was, therefore, a model battle ground, and, in reading the accounts of the English compaign in Soudan, I was reminded vividly of our pursuit of the Confederates through Missouri.

Just after crossing the dry bed of the Osage river, we heard skirmishing, and soon came in sight of the enemy, formed in line of battle, and waiting for us. I was Captain of Company H, Tenth Missouri Cavalry; Colonel Bentine, commander, and General Pleasanton, brigade commander. My position was on the left, as we drew up in line. During my four years' service I had seen many wonderful sights, and had been in some very close quarters. But never had I seen nine thousond horsemen drawn up in battle array, and the sight was certainly a thrilling one. I believe I am safe in saying that since the battle of the Pyramids in Egypt, modern warfare had not seen the like. The enemy were well supported by their artillery, and as I looked across the intervening space I could see the mouths of the cannons. While we sat on our horses waiting for orders, Generals Pleasanton and Curtis came riding down between the lines. As they passed me I heard Pleasanton say: "We must come together now." These words, and the ominous looks of the cannon, assured me that a serious moment was at hand. I had six hundred dollars about me, and I put it into an official envelope. I then directed it to my sister, and gave it to our surgeon, with the request to forward it in case of my death, or as the boys were in the habit of saying, in case I did not "come out."

At last the bugle sounded the charge. The long lines surged in and out, but no advance was made.

Again the bugle rang out on the still air, and again the lines wavered.

Then suddenly a rider on a white horse burst through the ranks and rode at the foe. Like an avalanche we followed. In the excitement every fear vanished, and we rode through the enemy's ranks, dispersing them right and left. They had fired one volley and had no time to reload.

Their right wing was completely cut off from the main body and surrounded. Having no other alternative they surrendered, and we were soon busy dismounting them and hurrying them to the rear. On my way back with a crowd of prisoners, we met General James Lane going to the front. He stopped, and pushing his way through the crowd of guards and prisoners, walked up to a tall, fine-looking Confederate, held out his hand, and said: "How do you do, General Marmaduke?" The man shook his hand warmly, and after a few words General Lane walked away taking General Marmaduke with him. When taken General Marmaduke had on his hat a star and crescent. At the time no one knew him, and Colonel Bentine noticing the ornaments cut them from the hat as trophies of war. The star when last heard from was in a museum in Chicago. General Marmaduke had no insignia of office from which he could be distinguished from the common soldiers, having a simple gray uniform and a large slouch hat. I have never learned who the rider on the white horse was that led the charge other than that he was a staff officer.

The Confederates made a stand again in the afternoon, forming in squares, but could not stand before our onslaught, and again retreated. That night horses and men lay down and slept together. So utterly worn out were we that no one thought of eating: going to sleep was so much easier.—*Detroit Free Press.*

Degrading American Labor.

The Republican Party the Pioneer in Legislation Against the Workingmen.

The Beaver platform in Pennsylvania, 1886, says: "We deprecate the nefarious work of importing foreign pauper labor, criminal and contract labor, and demand the passage of a national law summarily and positively prohibiting such importation under any pretext whatever."

It is a curious fact, not generally known, that the first and only law ever passed by Congress expressly authorizing the importation of foreigners under the contract to perform labor for a stated time in place of our American workingmen, was put through the two Houses when the Republicans had an overwhelming majority in each. It is true, also, that the record fails to disclose any opposition to that atrocious measure on the part of Republicans in either house. Its champion in the Senate was the Hon. John Sherman, of Ohio, and in the House the Hon. E. B. Washburne, of Illinois.

The bill is entitled "An Act to Encourage Immigration." It passed both Houses July 2, 1864, on a conference report signed by Sherman and Anthony on part of the Senate, and by Washburne and Windom on the part of the House, the Democratic conferees refusing to sign, and it was approved by the President July 4, 1864, which was the last of the session.

The managers of the bill exhibited hot impatience to put it through before the close of that session. June 27, on motion of Mr. Sherman, "all prior orders" of the Senate were postponed, and the bill was taken up and passed, the ground of haste being as stated by the Ohio Senator, that "wages were very high" in this country, and we needed importation on that account. In the House Thad. Stevens had moved to go into Committee of the Whole on one of the great appropriation bills, but withdrew his motion. Washburne's earnest appeal, and the pauper, alien, contract labor-bill was passed without a word of manly opposition from the Republican side, the Democrats being so few in that House that they could not enforce the demand of Mr. Pendleton, of Ohio, for a call of the yeas and nays.

The bill itself, aside from the outrage it proposed to inflict upon American workingmen, in putting their labor in competition with that of imported aliens, is a prime curiosity. As it appears in the Statutes at large, section 1 authorizes the President to appoint a Commissioner of Immigration, subject to the directions of the Department of State, at a salary of $2,500, with three clerks, &c. The remaining sections, except section 2, provide for a United States emigrant office in New York City, with one Commissioner, who is authorized to make contracts with railroad companies, &c., to carry imported workmen to their destination; for exempting such alien laborers from military service; appropriates $25,000 for carrying the law into effect, and specifies the number of clerks to be employed, salaries, tenure of office, &c. The sting is in section 2, which is in the following words:

"All contracts that shall be made by emigrants with the United States in foreign countries, in conformity to regulations that may be established by the said Commissioner, whereby emigrants shall pledge the wages of their labor for a term not exceeding twelve months, to repay the expenses of their emigration, shall be held to be valid in law, and may be enforced in the courts of the United States, or of the several States and Territories; and such advances, if so stipulated in the contract, and the contract be recorded in the Recorder's office in the county where the emigrant shall settle, shall operate as a lien upon any land thereafter acquired, until liquidated by the emigrant, whether under the homestead law when the title is consummated, or on property otherwise acquired by the emigrant; but nothing herein contained shall be deemed to authorize any contract contravening the constitution of the United States, or creating in any way, the relation of slavery or servitude."

Everybody knows that swarms of aliens have been imported into this country under contract since the passage of that act; that they have worked their appointed time at wages utterly ruinous to American workingmen, and then returned to their squalid homes in Europe. They came with no intention of becoming citizens of the United States. The perpetrators of this grievous outrage against American workingmen find their apology in the Republican law above quoted, and which may be justly styled the pioneer act in legislative assaults on American labor.

In the light of this law there is something like grim irony in the declarations on this subject found in Republican platforms of late years.

'That fallible person, the printer,' says the Boston *Transcript*, 'has much to answer for. Think of a composition by the immortal Beethoven being announced an a programme as 'Fifteen variations with fudge,' as it was at a concert the other evening!'

Chauncey F. Black's Canvass.

Nailing a Campaign Lie that He is Addicted to the Intemperate Use of Liquors.

HARRISBURG, Oct. 4.—The political canvass on the Democratic side was formally opened to-day. The Hon. Chauncey F. Black, nominee for Governor, Col. R. Bruce Ricketts, candidate for Lieut. Governor, the Hon. B. F. Myers, and B. M. Nead, Esq., of this city, started this morning on a trip that will cover the southern tier of counties, part of the middle tier, and reach out to the northwestern counties. A delegation of leading citizens of Cumberland county arrived in the city on an early train to serve as an escort, and though the departure was fixed for 7½ a. m., there was quite a crowd of enthusiastic Democrats at the depot to give the party a send-off. The trip through the Cumberland valley was a series of ovations. The first stop was made at Mechanicsburg, a thriving little city of 10,000 inhabitants. It was 8 o'clock when the party arrived. They were received with cheers by a large crowd with a brass band. The stop of ten minutes was spent in handshaking. At Carlisle the stop was limited to five minutes, and it took all that time to walk through the vast crowd that had gathered to see the Democratic favorites. There was a brass band there also. At Newville another brass band was in waiting and the three minutes stop was spent in handshaking and congratulations.

At Shippensburg the greatest enthusiasm was manifested, and at Chambersburg, when the party left the train, a vast crowd had gathered. Carriages were in waiting to take the party to the hotel and a procession was formed which, headed by a brass band, led the way to the National Hotel. The candidates held a reception in the parlor which lasted some minutes, after which in response to the calls of the crowd that blocked the street for a square, Mr. Black appeared on the piazza and spoke briefly. He said that the purpose was not to talk much on this trip, but to mingle with the people and get acquainted. There was a matter personal to himself which he desired to say there because that which it answered originated there. He read from a Republican paper the report of a Prohibition meeting had in Chambersburg at which one of the speakers said that he "held proofs of Mr. Black's intemperance and would herald them all through the campaign."

"To this statement I oppose here and now," said Mr. Black with great emphasis and deliberation, "that for more than three years I have not touched, tasted, or handled liquor, spirituous, vinous, or malt. I am a teetotaler, and with the help of God I expect to remain so to the end of my life. I have no doubt the gentlemen said what he believed to be the simple truth, and that he will not repeat it when informed of his error, but should he be still unsatisfied, and should he produce a sworn contradiction of the statement I here make and publish it to my defamation, I'll engage to send his witness to the penitentiary as rapidly as the law can be made to work."

He added that while he is a teetotaler he didn't assume the right to restrain others in their appetites so long as they remained within the law and didn't interfere with the property and peace of the community.

Col. Ricketts briefly acknowledged a call for him, and Mr. Myers made a brief speech. Then the reception in the parlor was resumed and continued until dinner was announced. At 1½ p. m. the party took carriages and started on a drive over the mountain to McConnelsburg.

A Little Fun.

A girl may have plenty of bustle and still be lazy.

A lady whose husband frequents saloons does not usually admire a full beered.

It's pretty hard luck. In summer we have horse-flies, and in winter we have snow-flies.

"There's very little change in men's trousers this fall," remarked a tailor as he failed to collect a bill.

After much research and investigation we are convinced that the boarding-house chickens are most all hatched from hard boiled eggs.

A Yankee editor wishes no bodily harm to his subscribers, but he hopes that some of them in arrears will be seized with a remittent fever.

A comical incident is related of an eminent English nobleman who was presiding at a press dinner. He concluded his few feeble remarks by proposing the "health of Gutenberg." Some one pulled his coat tails and whispered that he was dead. "I regret," continued the nobleman, "to announce that inteligence has just been received that Gutenberg is dead."

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JAMES H. MCDEVITT, of Sunbury, was chosen by the Democrats of the Fourteenth District as their candidate for Congress.

THE repeated and unreasonable campaign lies which the Republicans are getting up just now with the purpose of injuring the political record of Messrs. Rhone and Woodward, the democratic candidates for the Legislature from this county, will only serve to deepen the determination of Democrats to elect these gentlemen three weeks hence. Our opponents should by this time have learned that though it may be easy to tell an untruth it is so much more difficult to furnish proof with which to verify false statements.

WHEREVER Gov. Black makes his appearance and speaks to the people he gains a strong foothold with the masses. While at Pittsburg the other day at least 5000 people had gathered around the speaker's stand to hear Black talk. When he was introduced he was greeted with deafening applause. Mr. Black spoke in his plain, matter of fact way, without attempt at oratory, but his words had a convincing effect upon his hearers and the democrats of the smoky city are thoroughly aroused to the work of this campaign. The Irish Blaineites pleasantly surprised the future Governor by sending a committee of five to his rooms at the Central Hotel who read an address in which the Irish voters pledge themselves in the most decisive language to support the democratic standard bearer in the coming contest. Black's political sky is taking on brighter hues every day.

COOPER, the chairman of the Republican State Committee is hard up. The following circular frantically appealing to Republicans for funds reminds us of the last cries for help of a drowning man:

HEADQUARTERS REPUBLICAN STATE COMMITTEE, CONTINENTAL HOTEL, ROOMS 5,6 and 7, FIRST FLOOR, PHILADELPHIA, October 8th, 1886.
Dear Sir: The State committee is in great need of funds to carry out the plans laid for a vigorous battle all along the line—a battle which we can surely win, if properly supported; which we may lose, and lose disastrously, if our campaign fails for want of means to keep it going and to close it properly. The Democracy can now command nearly all of the Federal and State aid, while our appeals can only be made to those whose Republicanism prompts a response consistent with their regard for and interest in the party. Please contribute at your very earliest convenience by check or postal order to
THOMAS V. COOPER, Chairman.

As we announced in our last issue J. K. P. Hall, of Elk county, received the congressional nomination in this district and he received it in a fair and regular manner, all the reports of Republican papers to the contrary notwithstanding. The people of Mr. Hall's home at St. Mary gave vent to their sentiments and feelings by giving him the warmest and most enthusiastic reception. Straws tell which way the wind blows and the significance of such public demonstrations is unmistable. Mr. Hall is certainly a man who enjoys the highest esteem of his neighbors and townspeople and is also very popular with the laboring classes. Since his nomination is the deliberate work of the congressional conferees Mr. Hall can lay just claims to the full support of the democratic party of the 20th district. On the other hand his claims should be honored by the democratic voters and they are in duty bound to stick to their ticket and thus do their full share in electing a democratic congressman. Our candidate is known to be of sterling character, with ample brains and education, and he has proven in the past that his party affiliations are strong and lasting. Let all who profess to be of democratic faith give the *whole* ticket a boom, for anything less than that will not answer for a good democrat. And lastly vote for James Polk Knox Hall, for Congress.

Democratic Meetings.

The following is a list of democratic meetings to be held in the evening of the days named and to be addressed by a corpse of able stump speakers:

Pine Hall, Ferguson twp., Thursday, October 14
Ripka's School House, Gregg twp., Thursday, 14.
Decker's School House, Gregg twp., Friday, 15.
Gatesburg, Ferguson twp., Friday, 15.
Tusseyville, Potter twp., Saturday, 16.
Murray's School House, Gregg twp., Saturday, 16.
Roopsburg, Benner twp., Saturday, 16.
Hosterman's School House, Haines twp., Monday, 18.
Coburn, Penn twp., Monday, 18.
Brumgard's School House, Miles twp., Tuesday, 19.
Mann's School House, Curtin twp., Tuesday, 19.
Penn Hall, Gregg twp., Tuesday, 19.
Madisonburg, Miles twp, Wednesday, 20.
Linden Hall, Harris twp., Wednesday, 20.
Farmer's Mills, Gregg twp, Thursday, 21.
Scotia, Patton twp., Thursday, 21.
Rock Forge School House, Benner twp., Friday, 22.
Zion, Walker twp., Friday, 22.
Hublersburg, Walker twp., Saturday, 23.
Jacksonville, Marion twp., Saturday, 23.
Wallace Run School House, Boggs twp., Saturday, 23.

Mr. Shaeffer's Denial.

BELLEFONTE, PA., Oct. 12, 1886.

To the yoters of Centre County:—In answer to the scurrilous article which appeared in last week's issue of the "Keystone Gazette," a Republican organ of this county, charging me with corruption and the use of dishonest methods in securing my nomination to the office of Prothonotary, I desire to return my absolute and unqualified denial.

I spent no money in my canvass for the nomination except what was necessary and lawful for printing and traveling expenses and the assertion that I admitted to a gentleman at Centre Hall that I had expended $1200 to secure my nomination, and urged the fact as a reason why I should be elected, I pronounce as absolutely false in fact, and challenge proof to the contrary.

I also brand as a lie the charge that votes were bought on the streets of Bellefonte, or elsewhere, by me or by anyone with my knowledge or consent, and I challenge any and all persons to prove it.

I deny the truth of the charge that any hotel was chartered by me or by any one with my knowledge or consent, or that any beer, whiskey, or other liquor was bought by myself or by any one acting under my authority, or with my knowledge or consent, to be used for the purpose of influncing voters, and I defy proof of it.

I denounce the implied charge of buying up election boards as utterly false in fact, and a malicious report.

Were any of the charges preferred true, I would not only be a violater of law, and subject, if elected, to prosecution and punishment, but might be prevented from qualifying for the office, or after being qualified be ousted by process of law.

In my effort to secure my nomination I did nothing unlawful, and nothing from which I have cause for fear, nor of which I am ashamed.

I am a candidate for the office of Prothonotary because I was fairly and honestly nominated, and because I feel able to discharge its duties in a satisfactory manner. I therefore ask you, the voters of Centre county, for your support, and should I be elected I shall be grateful and will discharge the duties of the office with fidelity.

Very respectfully,
L. A. SCHAEFFER.

THE following letter, which appeared in the Bellefonte *Watchman* of a recent date, and which we are requested to republish, should be read by all and will explain itself:

A Misrepresentation.

OFFICE OF MASTER,
CENTRE HALL, PA., March 29, 1886.

The representation in certain localities that the present "Tax Law," of which so much is said, is the "Patrons' Tax Bill," which was presented by the State Grange to the State Legislature at the last session, is without any foundation in fact. The present law is the bill prepared four years ago by the joint committee of both Houses of the Legislature. Two yea s ago it was defeated, and was then again brought up at the last session, amended, and its enactment secured. This measure is too well understood to require explanation. Like nearly all the tax laws on our statute books, it is unconstitutional, unjust and discriminating. The only redeeming feature in it is that it compels a return of all interest-bearing papers, bonds, mortgages, etc., and would the same rule apply to all classes of visible and invisible property there could be no objection to its searching enrollment or listing of property, for all who seek the protection of government and wish to live under it, ought to be willing to contribute their even-handed portion to its support. No good citizen would object to this if all classes of property were enrolled and assessed alike. The evils of the present system of revenue laws is that certain property is assessable only for State purposes and not local; and again certain property is assessable for local purposes and not for State. Of course if the valuation of property and assessments were at the same proportionate rates according to all the average costs of all the governments in the State there could be no reasonable objection; but this is not the case, for nearly all assessments for State purposes are at the rate of three mills, for which corporations are alone assessable, while the rates for local governments for which real estate is assessable are often from 16 to 20 mills. Take for instance the comparative cost of governments. For the State we find the cost only about $6,000,000; county government, $15,000,000, and township and borough government $17,000,000; thus aggregating the entire expenses of the State governments, $38,000,000. As nearly as we can ascertain from the imperfect statictics at command as to the value of all the property in the State enrolled it would exceed $7,500,000,000, so that an assessment of 5 mills horizontally laid would fully cover all the expenses of government, State, county and township.

The present law does not in any way relieve the farmer and real estate owners from the unjust burdens of local government. It still leaves him to pay an average of 19 mills on the dollar of his valuation or $30,000,000 taxes of the $38,000,000 collected for all purposes; while the corporate property in the State, aggregating $1,400,000,000, only pays 3 mills on the dollar or $3,084,176 exclusively for State purposes. Had the Patrons' tax bill been enacted into law—which we so earnestly contended for—the corporations of the State would have been compelled to pay for the entire expenses of the common schools of the State and not a farmer or laboring man would now need to pay a penny for school purposes which cost over $9,465,000 annually, and even the corporations of the State would only have had to pay 11 mills, and the real estate owners still would have 12 mills to provide for as their share. The Patrons' bill taxing for local government provided that where there was a "dower," mortgages, judgements, bonds, notes and other evidences of debts, bearing interest and due from solvent debtors, it should be deducted from the valuation made by the assessments of each assessable property, the mortgager to pay the tax, which was to be a legal payment on mortgage, note or bond—thus taxing property but once. Every principle of justice and equity would indicate that this would be fair and just.

By what course of reasoning the revenue commissioners of the State constructed the law to prohibit such deduction is beyond our comprehension. It should not be the intention of the State to subject properties to doubt taxation. Under the instruction of the revenue commissioners a farm must be assessed at its full value; and then again, say a second assessment on mortgages that may encumber the property; then again justice would indicate the right to deduct money borrowed from money lent, so that each taxable would pay but one assessment on what he owns or possesses. The great misfortune of our State is that all the revenue laws of our Commonwealth have been made piecemeal to meet complaints and emergencies, and do great injustice to its citizens, and dishonor the State. The whole system of revenue laws should be revised by an enlightened statesmanship that would take into consideration all the departments of State and the relations the different industries sustain to each other, without doing injustice or injury to any one, and instead of driving capital, industry, enterprise, and many of the best farmers from our State, as is now the case by hundreds of farmers being driven from their ancestral homes annually to the far West to start anew in life.

Yours fraternally,
LEONARD RHONE.

Miscellaneous News.

The Reading Foreclosure.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 8. — Justice Bradley, in the United States Circuit Court, this morning signed a decree of foreclosure under the Reading general mortgage and appointed George M. Dallas and James Pollock masters to report the amount due and the status of the seven per cent. general mortgage bonds and scrip, and to prepare a decree of sale and report within 90 days.

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Railroad Bridge Destroyed by Fire.

MILLERSBURG, Oct. 8.—At 3.30 this afternoon the Northern Central Railway bridge over Powell's creek caught fire and was completely ruined. The bridge was built entirely of wood, having heavily built sides and top, and was in ruins 40 minutes after the fire was discovered. The heat was so intense that the county road bridge 80 feet distant, also caught fire, but was saved through the exertions of Messrs. Westfall and Hoffman.

A Captain's Fortunate Discovery.

Capt. Coleman, schr. Weymouth, plying between Atlantic City and N. Y., had been troubled with a cough so that he was unable to sleep, and was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. It not only gave him instant relief, but allayed the extreme soreness in his breast. His children were similarly affected and a single dose had the same happy effect. Dr. King's New Discovery is now the standard remedy in the Coleman household and on board the schooner.
Free Trial Bottles of this Standard Remedy at J. Eisenhuth's Drug Store.

Remarkable Faith Cure.

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 10. — Another remarkable case of faith cure by Mrs. Woodworth, the trance evangelist, is reported from Anderson, Ind. Mrs. Elizabeth Farron had been an invalid for 16 years. The physician had pronounced her case hopeless, saying that death was but a question of a very short time, and as a last resort it was determined to apply the so-called faith cure. Accordingly a season of prayer was offered in behalf of the sick woman, lasting from early in the evening until about midnight, when she claimed relief. She is now able to walk about and help herself, while a week ago she was unable to raise a hand or speak above a whisper.

Punxsutawney's Expensive Ashes.

PUNXSUTAWNEY, Pa., Oct. 10.—A disastrous conflagration took place here yesterday morning, which, in less than three hours, laid about one-third of the business portion of the town in ashes. The fire originated in the St. Elmo clothing store building at 2 o'clock, a. m., and was quickly communicated to the large frame structures adjoining. The wooden buildings burned like tinder, and the flames spread rapidly, in spite of the most furious efforts of the large and energetic bucket brigade to check them. The fire was not gotten under control until it had licked up 35 buildings, many of which were the most substantial and attractive in town. The entire loss amounts to about $160,000, and the total insurance about $75,000. The origin of the fire is unknown.

—OCTOBER is a good month for merchants to examine their stock of Dr. Kessler's Celebrated English Cough Medicine and include a winter's supply in their next order. The people have found out by experience that it can be relied on in all cases of croup, whooping cough, colds, and lung troubles of any nature, and will have it. A good article draws trade while worthless preparations drive it away. It should be a source of satisfaction to a dealer as well, to know he is giving good honest value for money received. Money refunded to dissatisfied purchasers.
JOHNSTON, HOLLOWAY & CO., Philadelphia Agents.
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Coal Company's Reorganization

The Old Clearfield Syndicate Changed to a New Corporation.

From the Patriot, Sat. Oct. 9th.

From official papers filed yesterday in the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth and of the Auditor-General, it appears that Cornelius Vanderbilt, Joseph M. Gazzam, and M. E. Olmsted, who recently purchased at Sheriff's sale the property of the Clearfield Bituminous Coal Company, met yesterday at Clearfield and reorganized under the name of the Clearfield Bituminous Coal Corporation. William D. Kelley, of Elmira, N. Y., was elected President, and General C. J. Langdon, of Elmira, Chairman of the Board, a position apparently similar to that sustained by Mr. Vanderbilt in the New York Central Railroad Company. S. R. Peale of Lock Haven, is Vice President; Louis P. Miller, of Corning, N. Y., Secretary and M. H. Arnol, of Elmira, Treasurer. The Directors are: C. J. Langdon and John C. Groves, of Elmira; S. R. Peale, of Lock Haven; John G. Redding, of Philadelphia; H. McK. Twoubly, of New York City; and M. E. Olmsted, of Harrisburg. The capital stock of the company, which, in the original company was $5,000,000, is reduced to $1,670,000, of which $1,300,000 is common stock and $350,000 preferred stock. the company retaining the right to increase it hereafter to $500,000. A comparison with the reorganization certificate recently filed by the Beech Creek Railroad Company shows that the officers of the two companies are entirely different. The property of the Clearfield Bituminous Coal Corporation includes nearly 40,000 acres of coal lands on the line of the Beech Creek Railroad, including the mining villages of Peale and Gazzam.

—DRUGGISTS all report a rapid and steadily increasing demand for McDonald's Celebrated Worm Powder. There is no secret or trick about their popularity. It is solely because people have become convinced through trial or hearing their neighbors say that they are the best and easiest to take vermifuge ever produced. Nasty, sickening, old-fashioned wormseed syrups won't sell. People demand McDonald's Celebrated Worm Powders, and won't have anything else, hence their sales are greater than all the other vermifuges combined. Money refunded to dissatisfied purchasers.
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When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria,

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—The undersigned having been granted letters testamentary on the estate of Simon Small, late of Miles township, deceased, requests all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and those having claims against it to present them duly proven for settlement. U. S. SHAFER, Executor.
Madisonburg, Pa. Oct. 14, 1885. 40-6t

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE:—The undersigned, executors of the estate of Joseph Gramley, deceased, will sell at public sale on the premises, ¾ miles east of Rebersburg, on THURSDAY, OCTOBER 14th, 1886, at 1 o'clock, p. m., the following described real estate:

All that certain tract of land, situate as aforesaid in Miles Twp., Centre Co. Pa., bounded on the east by lands of Daniel and Jefferson Royer, on the south by lands of Daniel Royer, on the west by lands of Jacob Shultz and Adam Bair and on the north by land of Jacob Shultz, containing 145 ACRES. Thereon erected a DWELLING HOUSE, NEW BANK BARN, 35 x 100 ft., hog pen, wash house and other necessary outbuildings, all in good repair. Good water runs in pipes to the house and cellar and to the barn Also two orchards of trees bearing choice fruit on the premises.

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TERMS OF SALE: Ten per cent. of one-third of the purchase money to be paid on day of sale, one third, less ten per cent, on or before April 1st, 1887, one third on the 1st of April 1888, and the remaining one third to stay in the farm as a dower, the interest of which is to be paid annually to the widow of Joseph Gramley, deceased. Deferred payments to bear interest and to be secured by bond and mortgage on the premises.

For further information address
J. A. GRAMLEY, Rebersburg, Pa.,
J. J. GRAMLEY, Hublersburg, Pa.,
Executors.

ALSO at the same time and place there will be sold a certain tract of land, containing TEN ACRES, of which 2½ acres are cleared an 7½ acres in heavy oak timber. Said tract is seperated from the timberland of above farm, from the Main road to Eisenhuth's track and on the west by Jonathan Auman.

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FINEST FULL CREAM CHEESE.
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A full line of NEW CANNED GOODS.
PURE WHITE ROCK CANDY SYRUP in half gallon and one gallon cans.
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FINE, FRAGRANT TEAS.
PURE SPICES. You can depend on our ground pepper for butchering purposes. It is strictly pure.
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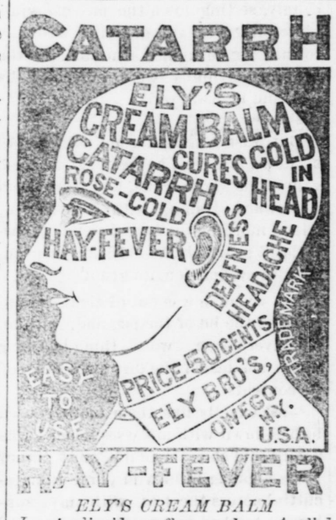

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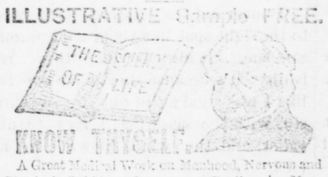

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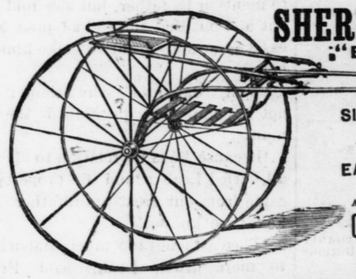

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The Millheim Journal.

THURSDAY, OCT. 14TH, 1886.

Published by R. A. BUMILLER.

LOCAL NEWS.

—Scarce—the water.

—SUBSCRIBE for the JOURNAL.

—Dry but pleasant—the weather.

—Thanksgiving will be the next holiday.

—Partridge and Rabbit shooting begins Oct. 15.

—Potatoes sell at 35cts, apples at 50 cent per. bushel.

—First-class job work done at the JOURNAL office.

—The best 2-4-5 Cigar in town "Way Ahead" at Lose's grocery.

—Miss Wieland, of Linden Hall, was a visitor at Dr. Stam's yesterday.

—The factory ground is the most popular loafing place in town just now.

—A fine show case for sale, very cheap. Inquire at the Journal Store.

—Some of our townpeople have some real fine porkers ready for the slaughtering season.

—Most of the wells in town are empty and the people are very anxious for a good rain.

—Mr. Halfpenny and son, of Swengle, Union county, were in town a short time on Saturday.

—Politics and Factory are the two topics that are uppermost in our people's minds at this time.

—Mr. Eisenburg, who some time ago had moved to town and served as clerk in Snook's store has left again.

—We regret to learn that a majority of Jacob Dutweiler's family, of Penn township are on the sick list.

—Editor Focht of the Lewisburg *Saturday News* won the suit he had with the Campbell Press Company.

—A considerable number of people from this place took in Forepaugh's great show at Bellefonte last Tuesday.

The secret of successful advertising is to tell the truth. When we say that **Dreydoppel's Borax Soap** is the best and cheapest soap you can use for all purposes, it is a plain statement of *fact*, and the best way for you to satisfy yourself is to try a pound.

—Miss Mary Mauck tells us that there is radish in her garden which weighs 10 pounds. That will do for a radish.

—Ira E. Snyder has built an addition to his smithshop in Frog town, a suburb of Millheim situate on the road to Coburn.

—Rev. C. F. Deininger, of York, Pa. arrived in town on Monday evening and is spending a few days among his relatives.

—The council of the Luth. church have fixed upon next Saturday, Oct. 16th, to grade the sidewalk to Fairview Cemetery.

—Should we not have heavy rains very soon the inconvenience and suffering from scarcity of water will be considerable.

—The bridge southeast of town has been rebuilt by the turnpike company and is now in a safe condition for heavy teams to cross over.

—Mr. B. F. Klepper, of Booneyille, ordered his JOURNAL addressed to Rosecraus, Clinton Co., Pa., having recently removed to that place.

—The attention of our readers is called to U. S. Shafer executor's notice appearing among the legal advertisements in this week's issue.

—Noah Stover still further improved his residence on Penn Street by adding a large and convenient back porch. Noah is a great fellow for comfort.

—Dr. J. F. Harter, wife and children, who have been on a week's visit to Altoona and Hollidaysburg, returned home on Monday well pleased with their trip.

—Mrs. W. H. Kremer and Mrs. Musser, from Coburn, canvassed the town and vicinity yesterday for contributions to the Luth. festival at Coburn next Saturday evening.

—Owing to sickness Rev. Swengle was unable to fill his regular appointment of services in the Ev. church last Sunday. Glad to hear that he is rapidly improving.

—Jas. D. Lose, Penn Street, purchased another lot adjoining his present residence from J. H. Reifsnyder, and has already staked off the ground for a new dwelling house.

—A look at the immense stock of goods in Kauffman's store will convince all our readers that what they say in their advertisement this week it true to the letter.

—Saturday was a very lively business day for Millheim. Main street was lined with wagons and buggies from one end to the other and the merchants had very little sparetime.

—LOT OF CALVES WANTED at the Aaronsburg Meat Market. The proprietors desire to supply their patrons with first-class veal and for that purpose wish to buy a lot of nice calves.

—The Logansville band, we are told, had a splendid time at their festival last Saturday evening. They were assisted by the Fisk Band of Williamsport, the Seltzer Band of Lock Haven, and the Greenburr band and realized about $150 net.

—Samuel D. M'Donald, Esq., of Lewisburg, a rising member of the Union county bar, died on Thursday last and was buried on Saturday. He was but 33 years of age.

—Mr. E. H. Long returned from his North Carolina trip on Tuesday and if we judge rightly he is very glad to have a shake with his many friends. Of course the pleasure is mutual.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by J. Eisenhuth.

—A big democratic day meeting to be held in Millheim in the near future is at present being spoken of. We are assured that the gathering will be addressed by distinguished speakers. Let it come.

—Rev. Wasson's flitting left for Bellefonte, the gentleman's new field of labor, yesterday morning. He has made many friends during his residence in this place and their best wishes accompany him.

SETTLEMENT NOTICE.—Those who have unsettled accounts with S. R. Gettig, Grenoble's grain house, are notified to call on him at said place, Coburn, Pa., for settlement at the earliest possible date. 4t

—Mrs. E. Bartholomew and daughter are off again on an extended visit to Nittany Valley relations. *Miss May* Hartman joined the party and will also enjoy the hospitality of Nittany folks for several weeks.

—Read over the entire democratic ticket, state and county, and you must acknowledge that it is made up from excellent democratic timber. It is a ticket that is bound to go in with a handsome majority.

—There will be services in the U. B. church of this place next Sunday forenoon, at half past ten o'clock, when Rev. C. Wortman, the new pastor of the U. B. congregation will preach his introductory sermon.

—Editor Harter, of the Middleburg *Post*, and wife, spent several days in town with their relatives. Tom don't seem to know the fraternity in this town, at least he never thinks of calling on the JOURNAL man.

—Mr. Keller's grammar school on Penn street began last Monday morning with an attendance of 36 scholars. Mr. Gephart, of the primary department reports 73 pupils on the roll and some to be heard from yet.

—Harry Cohen, the manager of the New York Cheap Store, corner of Main and Penn streets, opened his place of business yesterday afternoon. Read his new advertisement and give heed to his invitation to secure bargains.

—Work on the Factory Plot is progressing rapidly under the hands of Jon. Harter and it will not be long before the walls of the Factory will be visible. Indeed Millheim's future is a bright one and all its citzens look forward to a prosperous business season.

—The Ladies' Mite Society of the Lutheran congregation is requested to meet in the chapel on Monday evening, Oct. 18th, inst., to transact special business. All members are urged to attend. MARY R. HARTER.
JULIA A. W. DEININGER, Pres.
Sec.

—U. S. Shafer, the executor of the estate of Simon Smull, deceased, late of Madisonburg, will sell personal property of decedent, on Saturday, Oct. 31st at 1 o'clock p. m. One cow, wagons, farm implements blacksmith tools, and several thousand feet of good building lumber will be offered for sale.

—Mr. Kauffman, Sr., of Fisher's Ferry, spent last week in town and in the absence of E. H. Long, assisted the boys behind the counters of Kauffman's store. One can see at a glance that the old gentleman is an experienced merchant who has spent the greater part of his life in the store business.

—Since the first of October every postoffice in the United States is a special delivery office. This means that important letters which come to the office stamped with a ten-cent stamp must be delivered to their addresses at once, provided their destination is within a mile from the postoffice.

—I. W. Buck, the tailor, and wife, are occupying the corner rooms on the second story of Musser & Smith's hardware building as their place of residence. Their flitting arrived from Howard last Thursday evening. We are glad to see that an abundance of work justified Mr. Bucks locating permanently.

—Mr. Rishel, of Spring Bank, had an unpleasant experience recently in falling backwards out of a spring wagon. Just as he started away from the house the hindseat of the wagon tilted, spilling him on the ground with the head foremost. Beyond a severe shock Mr. Rishel's injuries were fortunately very slight.

—On Saturday, October 30th, inst., H. A. Mingle, Esq., of Aaronsburg, executor of the estate of Mrs. Elizabeth Corman, late of Haines township, deceased, will sell the real estate of said decedent at Orphans' Court Sale. The property consists of a lot of ground with a dwelling house and outbuildings thereon erected.

—J. Eisenhuth informs the public that he has added to his drug stock the celebrated KEYSTONE MALT WHISKEY and other pure liquors. Sold only on prescriptions of physicians, for medical use. 33-6m.

IMPORTANT TO TAX PAYERS.—Under the new tax law it becomes doubly important to take receipts for all taxes paid, and in view of increasing sales the subscriber has reduced the price of his Ready Reference Tax Receipt Book from 40 to 25 cents. First edition of the book nearly sold out. Call soon.
B. O. DEININGER,
Journal Store.

Renews Her Youth.

MRS. Phoebe Chesley, Peterson, Clay Co., Iowa, tells the following remarkable story, the truth of which is vouched for by the residents of the town: "I am 73 years old, have been troubled with kidney complaint and lameness for many years; could not dress myself without help. Now I am free from all pain and soreness, and am able to do all my own housework. I owe my thanks to Electric Bitters for having renewed my youth, and removed completely all disease and pain."
Try a bottle, only 50c at J. Eisenhuth's Drug Store.

—Shenandoah and the entire Mahanoy Valley is threatened with a water famine. No rain has fallen in nine weeks, and the streams in the valley are nearly all dried up. The supply of the water at most of the collieries is exhausted and unless it rains in a few days they will be compelled to suspend operations. Lebanon city is reported to be in a similar plight.

—Nettie Brown, a young lady who formerly was in the employ of Mr. Andrew Harter, near Coburn, but has of late been staying in Logansville, Clinton county, died last week after a few days illness, from malignant typhoid fever. Deceased was well known to most of the Penn township people and the news of her death will be received with general surpise and regret.

—Mrs. Ertel, the wife of David Ertel, residing at Penns Creek, Penn township, died yesterday forenoon. Deceased was a daughter of Wm Bartges, and was 55 years of age. Her funeral will take place on Friday morning, when her remains will be taken to Heckman's cemetery. Her surviving husband is confined to the sickbed for nearly three years and this stroke will set very hard on him.

—Judge Frank, of Rebersburg, had good luck in disposing of two farms last week. His own farm in Brushvalley he sold at private sale to Mr. Thadius Stover, of Haines township, at $80 per acre, and the farm of Michael Frank, deceased, two miles east of Aaronsburg, was sold at public sale last Saturday at $108.20cts per acre. The latter farm contained 39 acres, making the price $4200.

—Typhoid fever prevails in the upper part of the Valley, and especially in George's Valley, to an alarming extent. In this season of the year, when the nights are cool and the days warm, people should take every possible precaution against diseases of that kind. One of the preventives which we know to be very good is the scattering of carbolic acid in the cellars and rooms of your residences.

—It affords us much pleasure to recall an item referring to Rev. C. F. Deininger's ill health and probable removal to town, which appeared in a former issue of this paper. The information which was given us was the result of a misunderstanding of Rev. D's own words. He says his health is no better than when he was here, but that he will remain at his post in York, Pa., at least until the time of his appointment expires.

GRAND OYSTER SUPPER AND FESTIVAL.—The ladies of the Mite Society of the Trinity Ev. Luth. Church of Coburn will hold an oyster supper and festival in Hosterman's new building, opposite R. F. Vonada's store on Saturday evening, Oct. 16th. Fresh Oysters, Steam-made Ice Cream, Cakes, etc., will be served on this occasion. Proceeds for the benefit of the church. The public is cordially invited and a liberal patronage solicited.

—Every thing is lovely and the goose hangs high since operations on the Factory plot are moving along so nicely. We understand that Mr. Crawford, the manufacturer, will bring several machines to town in a week or so, to place them in position in one of the rooms of D. A. Musser's brick mill and give applicants for positions in the Knitting Factory a chance to learn to handle them and thus be ready for business as soon as the factory building is completed.

—The festival of the G. A. R. men last Saturday was the most successful affair on record. The net proceeds amount to about $140. The parade at five o'clock was imposing and was witnessed by many people. Capt. Van Valin, the commander of the post, seems to have the old soldier boys in perfect marching trim. The rink very much resembled a bee hive in the evening. Every table was filled and the cake walks in the rear part of the building were largely patronized.

—One reason why the representation from Brush and Penns Valleys was not larger at the recent Democratic meeting in Bellefonte was that most of the people doubted Black's coming there. It's funny that our republican friends should make so much capital out of this insignificant matter. The democracy of this end of the county may not always turn out to mass meetings, but when the time comes for voting they will take care that every man will be on board and help to elect Black. Don't forget that.

—Having in our official capacity as members of the Plymouth Hospital Committee been asked to test and prove the effectiveness of many different articles to be used as disinfectants in sickrooms and as preventitives of infectious fevers, report that Darbys Prophylactic Fluid has been thoroughly tested during the recent Typhoid epidemic in this place. It proved most efficacious in staying the spread of the fever.

F. H. Armstrong, S. M. Davenport,
J. A. Opp, O. M. Lance,
Thos. Kerr, Jas. Lee, Jr.

QUARTERLY MEETING.—The third quarterly meeting on Brush Valley charge, Ev. church, will be held at Wolf's church, on Saturday and Sunday, the 16th and 17th instant. Business session on Saturday at 2 p. m. Preaching in the evening at 7 o'clock.

Sabbath school at 9 a. m. on Sunday, preaching at 10 o'clock, a. m. when the Lord's supper will be celebrated. Preaching in the evening at 7 o'clock by Rev. J. G. M. Swengle, of Millheim. A very interesting protracted meeting is in progress at this place now, where God's people are being revived and sinners are coming home to Jesus.

H. S. BASOM, Pastor.

—EMINENT Physicians connected with the principal hospitals throughout the United States report very gratifying and satisfactory results from the use of McDonald's Great Blood Purifier in all cases of vitiated blood, emaciated condition, enfeebled digestive power, malassimilation of food, &c. But few diseases can withstand its remarkable purifying tonic and reconstructive power. Money refunded to dissatisfied purchasers.
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Sold by J. Eisenhuth, Millheim, Pa.

—The crossings on Main street are about being finished. The council spent considerable time and money on them but they are a splendid and durable job. As usual the growlers find fault with the crossings, the street commisioner, the workmen, the council and the borough in general. But what is the difference. The world moves on the same as before and the fault-finders are just as willing to pass over a good crossing on a rainy day as the rest of mankind. The one thing that councilmen must learn is that they can no more run a borough to suit everybody than an editor can run his newspaper to please all.

—Prof. Bierly's singing class was organized on last Wednesday evening by the election of a president, treasurer and secretary. J. F. Harter handles the funds and M. C. Gephart wields the pen. Never mind about the president. The class at present consists of some forty scholars and will meet in the Grammer school room on Penn street every Saturday evening. Persons who are fond of music and desirous of receiving thorough instructions in vocal music are urgently requested to turn out next Saturday evening and join the class. The larger the class the easier the terms. The books to be used during the term will then be for sale.

—On our way to Bellefonte last Tuesday we met an old and prominent democrat of Gregg township and conversation led to a certain letter in last week's *Keystone Gazette* and which was alleged to have been written by a Gregg township democrat, who chooses to be a "kicker." Our democratic friend, who by the way is well posted in Gregg township politics, told us that upon reading the letter he made it his special business to ferret out the writer but found that none of the democrats of Gregg had anything to do with the article and the common belief is that editor Fiedler himself is the getter up of this fine (?) piece of literature. Fiedler's malapert writings create considerable indignation and at the end of the campaign he will see to his sorrow that he has done his party more harm than good. Better stop monkeying 'round the buzz saw.

THE BELLEFONTE GLASS WORKS BURNED.—The Bellefonte Glass Works were totally destroyed by fire on Sunday morning. The flames broke out about 5 o'clock and burned fiercely. The loss is estimated at $50,000, on which is an insurance of $20,000. The capacity of the works was 1,000 boxes a week. The company annually paid out to labor in cash about $45,000. Seventy-five men are thrown out of employment. The works originally cost $60,000. They were owned by the present stock company, consisting of Messrs. Ardell, Munson, Sechler, Anderson, Josephs, McFarlane, Teller and Sayer, under the name of the Bellefonte Glass Campany, Limited. The fire is supposed to have been of incendiary origin.

It is authoratively stated that the Works will be rebuilt at once.

—Last Thursday evening ground was broken for the foundation walls of the Knitting Factory. About 30 or 40 men were on hand and made themselves useful with picks, shovels and wheelbarrows. The crowd, according to orders, gathered on Main street and marched to the place of operation by the strains of the band. When arrived on the ground Cashier A. Walter was proposed as the proper person to dig the first shovel of ground which he did amidst the cheers of the crowd. A fair start was made that evening and the well-begun work was continued on Friday evening by means of a large plow and scraper. Of course the exercises were witnessed by a good sized crowd of spectators, with a fair sprinkling of the fairer sex. At a meeting of the executive committee Jon. Harter was appointed to take charge of the foundation work, and John Stoner to furnish and deliver on the ground the necessary lumber. The work is to be pushed right along.

A THRILLING ACCIDENT.—On Thursday one of the most marvelous escapes from instant death occurred near Coburn in this county that are known to the history even of railroad accidents. Conductor Cook, who visits Bellefonte every day, threw, as is his custom, mail matter from one train to the other, as they passed each other. At this point both trains were going with more than ordinary speed, fully thirty miles an hour. The motion caused him to lose his balance and he fell from the car. In falling, his hand came in contact with the last car of the opposite train. Thence he was thrown back upon the other track, that train having passed. Both trains were stopped and all hands ran to the place expecting to find Conductor Cook ground to pieces. Their surprise and delight may be imagined when it was dicovered that he was only bruised. His injuries compell him to be off duty to-day, but he will soon be quite well again.—*Daily News.*

FINE TIMBERLAND AND A GOOD FARM FOR SALE.—On Friday, Noyember 12th, 1886, at 1 o'clock, p. m. there will be offered at Orphan's Court Sale a tract of land containing 370 ACRES, late the property of Chas. Ripka, deceased, and situate in Gregg township, Centre Co., Pa. Seventy acres thereof are cleared and fit for cultivation; 50 acres are ordinary timberland, the remaining 250 acres are the best timberland in the county. This part of the tract contains TWO MILLION FEET of the BEST WHITE PINE TIMBER in Penns Valley and THREE MILLION FEET of EXCELLENT HEMLOCK, also good oak and other wood. The tract is but four miles from the L. & T. railroad with a good road leading to Spring Mills. This timberland will be offered seperately from the farmland and affords a rare opportunity for lumber operations. There will also be sold a GOOD FARM, in the best state of cultivation and with good buildings erected thereon. Terms: One-fourth of purchase mony on confirmation of sale, balance in two equal annual payments, with interest and usual securities. 40 4t

Neighboring News.

SMITH TOWN.

The latest, a little girl at F. P. Duck's.

Henry Miller whitewashed all of Henry Keens outbuildings and fences. A decided improvement.

Miss Mary Keen moved from this place to Geo. Kister's, below Aaronsburg. Miss Agnes Ulrich takes her place at Alfred Keens.

A young man took sick of *heart disease* at the festival last Saturday night.

A number of our folks were to the show on Tuesday.

Miss Musser, of Millheim, spent Sunday in this place.

This vicinity enjoys quite a boom this week. J. H. Reifsnyder has a force of hands at work on his farm buildings; J. C. Smith is putting a new cornice and roof on his house; Mr. Nerhud has his new dwelling up and is busy getting ready for the plasterers; John Kimport's carpenters are just finishing his home and J. H. Frank is walling up a large cistern.

Mr. McClintic, of Nittany Valley, was here on Tuesday and bought a car load of potatoes at 40 cts. per bushel.
JUMBO.

AARONSBURG.

Luther E. Stover drives a new horse which he lately purchased in Union county.

Mrs. Chas. H. Stover and son Harry returned from Clarkstown, Pa., where they had been visiting.

Cal. Weaver is engaged in buying and shipping potatoes. Keep on Calvin and we will soon make you Aaronsburg potatoe king.

We understand that some of our farmers are somewhat slow to "catch on" to the creamery business. We suppose it is owing to the want of proper knowledge of the business.

Mr. C. C. Seebold, the White Sewing Machine man from Middleburg, Pa. passed through town last Monday evening.

Miss Amanda Walters of Snydertown, Pa. was visiting at D. H. Lenker's and Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Vonada, of near Harrisburg, at Geo. Bright's.

H. A. Mingle is on the sick list and medical attendance has been summoned. ANOTHER.

COBURN.

On Tuesday forenoon Coburn was alive with people from the surrounding country, bound for Bellefonte to see the great Forepaugh Elephant. 119 excursion tickets were sold at this station, making a good turnout.

The ladies of the Lutheran Mite society will hold a chicken and oyster supper and ice dream festival at Coburn, Saturday evening the 16th inst. It should be well patronized as it is for a good cause.

On Monday evening the 18th, there will be a grand rally of the Democracy at Coburn. Noted speakers will address the meeting and the Millheim band is expected to be present. Everyone should turn out and help to make this a successful meeting. Let us show chairman Hoy what kind of material we are in this section.

F. P. Barker has purchssed the Fowler farm at Fowler station and will take possession, April 1st, next.

There are now two or three vacant houses at Coburn which are for rent.
VALE.

SPRING MILLS.

Mrs. A. C. Addison who has been spending several days with her mother Mrs. Eliza Coates, expects to go to Atlanta, Ga, where her husband is engaged in enlarging pictures.

Politics are simmering down to a normal state—each party seems to be determined to support their own ticket from top to bottom—of course the Democrats have the majority here in round numbers.

T. B. Jamison had been on the sick list for the last few days but is able to be about again.

The machinery for Krumrine's new saw mill has arrived and is being placed in position and the new mill will be put in operation in a short time.

Quite a number of persons from this place attended the show in Bellefonte this week.

James Winkleman formerly of Nittany but now of Clearfield is visiting Peter Nees. *

MARRIED.

On the 10th inst., at the residence of the bride's parents at Madisonburg, Pa., by Rev. H. S. Basom, Mr. John W. Ruhl, of Mifflinburg, Pa., to Miss Anna M. Ocker, of Madisonburg. May happiness and prosperity attend the happy couple.

On the 3rd inst., at Spring Mills, by Rev. J. Shambach, Mr. Samuel M. Brown to Miss Ettie McCool both of Spring Mills, Centre Co., Pa

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[New Advertisement.]

Jacob Eisenhuth

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☞REMEMBER THAT EISENHUTH'S STOVES MUST BE SEEN TO BE RIGHTLY APPRECIATED.

His Breath Caught Fire.

Dr. George T. Beatson thus writes in the *British Medical Journal*: I have thought it right to put on record the following case, as it seems to me to be one of some rarity and to have some importance from a medico-legal point of view. I cannot do better than give the facts in the words of the patient himself, who communicated them to me by letter. He writes as as follows:

"A rather strange thing happened to myself about a week ago. For a month or so I was troubled very much with foul eructations. I had no pain, but the smell of the gas which came from my stomach was disagreeable to myself and to all who happened to be in the room. About a week ago, as I said, I got up in the morning and lighted a match to see the time, and when I put the match near my mouth to blow it out my breath caught fire and gave a loud crack like the report of a pistol. It burnt my lips and they are still a little sore. I got a terrible surprise, and so did my wife, for the report awakened her."

From the above occurrence it would appear that the conditions known as "halitosis," or diseased breath, is not only a source of misery to the sufferer and those compelled to associate with him, but may, under certain circumstances, become a condition of danger to the unfortunate possessor of it. In the present instance the gaseous results of the imperfectly digested food had their atoms of carbon and hydrogen so arranged as to give rise to the presence of carbureted hydrogen, the inflammable and explosive qualities of which came into play when mixed with a due proportion of atmospheric air in presence of the ungarded light of the burning match. I may add that the patient to whom this accident happened is a most intelligent and observant man, and that the diet I perscribed for the indigestion from which he suffers from time to time has alcohol excluded from it, and I know that my instructions in that respect are acted upon.

One Good Deed Begets Another.

A friend related an incident to me to-day about Mr. James W. Scoville, of Oak Park, which will be of interest to the people who assembled the other afternoon to witness the laying of the corner-stone of the Scoville institute in that charming suburb. The great distinction between different philanthropists is that some of them give their money in their lifetime and others give it after they are dead and have no use for it themselves. Mr. Peabody, of blessed memory, was moved to make his princely benefactions by reading on a tombstone in London of a man who had bestowed large sums of money "in his lifetime," and Mr. Scoville was similarly affected by an incident that befell him in the Cooper institute in New York. While he was in the office of the institute a clerk came in with a plumber's bill which he had gone out to pay, and informed the officers that the plumber refused to take any pay for his work. When asked for an explanation he said that he was a prosperous man and that he owed it all to Peter Cooper. When he was a hopeless, penniless lad on the streets of New York he had been taken up and given an education at the Cooper institute, and he could never charge Mr. Cooper for anything. Mr. Scoville was at once penetrated with the idea that the greatest happiness that any human being can feel was to do good in his lifelime, and live to see the effect of it and to enjoy the gratitude of his beneficiaries.

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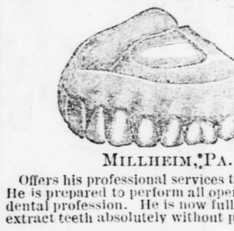

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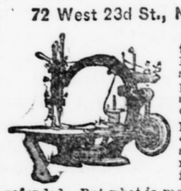

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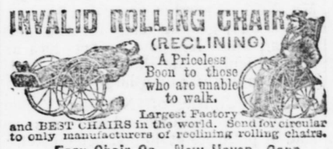

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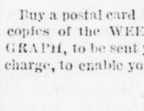

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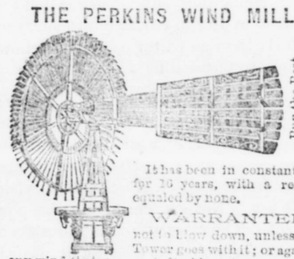

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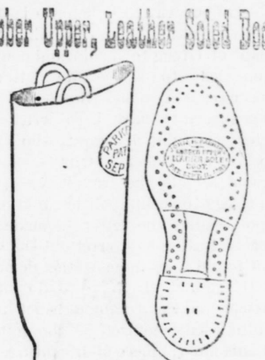

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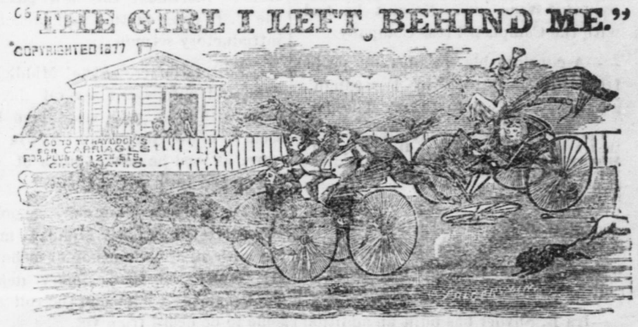

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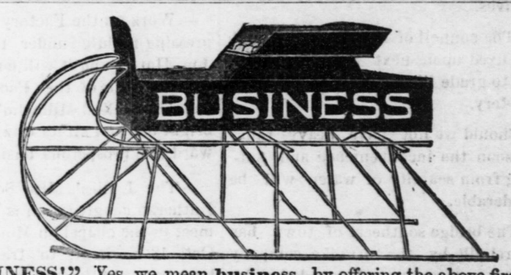

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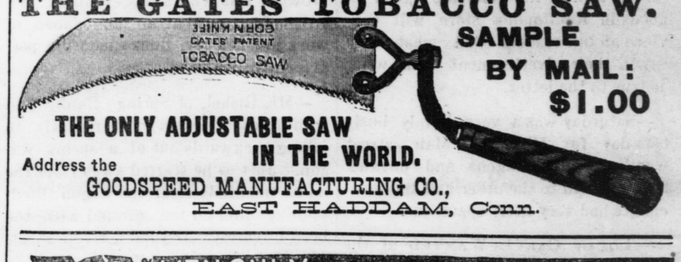

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